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2. OSI has turned out a special study of the design and operating principles of the KENNEL weapons system. This is the system of air-to-surface cruise missiles used aboard the Soviet Badger bomber.

OSI has assessed it and considers it of important significance because it first confirms many characteristics derived from other less firm intelligence sources and second, it modifies several operational principles which are key factors in planning a defense.

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5. Dick Helms reports that we plan to terminate support of [redacted] and his organization [redacted]. Costs have been quite out of proportion to the amount of information acquired or influence displayed. In fact, we get close to nothing. Dick expects [redacted] to complain to old friends [redacted]. You may be hearing from some of your buddies on this matter.

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6. I have the comments you requested from senior officials on the advisability of forwarding the DCI draft memo to the President concerning the history of CIA economic releases. These make interesting reading. I think you should see them.

*I would like to - who do I have to know?*

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